

REMARKS**Claims Amendments.**

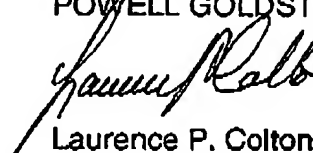
The amendments to the claims are identical to the amendments made in the 5 September 2005 Response, but now include the status identifiers. No new matter has been added.

CONCLUSION

Applicant submits that the patent application is in proper condition for allowance, and respectfully requests such action.

If the Commissioner or the Examiner has any questions that can be resolved over the telephone, please contact the below signed patent attorney of record at his new contact information (shown below).

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